

REMARKS

This communication responds to the Office Action mailed on May 28, 2008.

Claims 1, 4, 6, 8, 12, and 14-19 are amended, no claims are canceled, claim 20 is added; as a result, claims 1-6, 8-12, and 14-20 are now pending in this application.

Allowable Subject Matter

Claims 1-6 and 8-12 were allowed. Claims 14-19 were indicated to be allowable if rewritten to overcome the rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 112, 2nd paragraph, set forth in the Office Action. Applicants appreciate the Examiner's confirmation of the allowability of claims 1-6 and 8-12. Applicants have rewritten claims 14-19 to overcome the rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 112, 2nd paragraph.

§112 Rejection of the Claims

Claims 14-19 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, first paragraph, as lacking adequate description or enablement. Applicants have amended claims 14-19 to remove "machine readable medium" from the claims. Support for amended claims 14-19 is found throughout the specification, including but not limited to the specification at page 3, lines 23-27, page 3, line 32 through page 4, line 2, and page 4, lines 5-9. Applicants believe that amended claims 14-19 are in form for allowance. Therefore, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and the withdrawal of the rejection, and allowance if claims 14-19.

New Claim

Applicants have added a new claim 20. Claim 20 incorporates the elements of allowable claim 6. Applicants believe claim 20 to be allowable and requests an allowance.

Reservation of Rights

In the interest of clarity and brevity, Applicants may not have equally addressed every assertion made in the Office Action; however, this does not constitute any admission or acquiescence. Applicants reserve all rights not exercised in connection with this response, such as the right to challenge or rebut any tacit or explicit characterization of any reference or of any of the present claims, the right to challenge or rebut any asserted factual or legal basis of any of the rejections, the right to swear behind any cited reference such as provided under 37 C.F.R. § 1.131 or otherwise, or the right to assert co-ownership of any cited reference. Applicants do not admit that any of the cited references or any other references of record are relevant to the present claims, or that they constitute prior art. To the extent that any rejection or assertion is based upon the Examiner's personal knowledge, rather than any objective evidence of record as manifested by a cited prior art reference, Applicants timely objects to such reliance on Official Notice, and reserves all rights to request that the Examiner provide a reference or affidavit in support of such assertion, as required by MPEP § 2144.03. Applicants reserve all rights to pursue any cancelled claims in a subsequent patent application claiming the benefit of priority of the present patent application, and to request rejoinder of any withdrawn claim, as required by MPEP § 821.04.

CONCLUSION

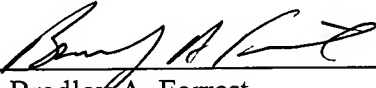
Applicants respectfully submit that the claims are in condition for allowance, and notification to that effect is earnestly requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone Applicants' attorney at (612) 349-9587 to facilitate prosecution of this application.

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